June 4, 1923.

Dear Professor Munz;

I have not forgotten the specimen of Glaucium that I promised to send you, but I have been very busy and have not gotten around to it, but will get it over to you in the near future. I also want to send you a specimen of Nemacladus, for though Abrams speaks of it as occurring only in the mountains, it is to be found here, but as he uses the rosette of basal leaves as the feature to distinguish the species, and as is true with many of our plants, the lower leaves are gone before the flowers come, it becomes difficult to distinguish them, for which reason I would like you to determine it.

Hall states that Centaurea solstitialis was once reported from San Diego, but has not since been collected, and that it does not occur in southern California. I have run across a large patch of it, though this is the first time that I have ever seen it, but it is just now coming into bloom.

As for the Polygala, for a polygala it is, it is just now coming into bloom, and as far as I can see it is not fisheae, though I have no books by which I am able to identify it, and as the flowers of Polygala are rather hard to identify after being pressed, I should like you to take a look at it in the fresh condition, for as it is the first time it has been reported from this section, and as fisheae is supposed to be the only one that grows in southern California (according to Abrams) and that in but very few

localities, it should be worth a visit in order to identify it.

Also, Stylophyllum edule (or parishii for it seems to be glabrous) is just coming into bloom, and as you have no specimen of it in Pomona, it will give you an opportunity to get some, for it grows in great profusion right beside the Polygala, so the trip should be worth while.

If you can, suppose you come over and we shall go down there and investigate them all, for the cañon is an interesting one. It is about eighteen miles below here so when you come give yourself time enough to do the work. Best of all, if you can, come over on Saturday and spend the week-end, and we shall have ample time, only when you come to town this time, see that you find me, and if it should be anywhere near noon, and you have not located me before, go up to the Lake View Inn, which is where I always eat, and where I can always be found at eating time.

Professor Needham stopped in to see me on Saturday for about two minutes, the first time that I have seen him, since you were over here together, though he tells me that he has been in town on several occasions, but always with students and so always busy. If he will come with you, I shall be very glad to have him, and he will enjoy the trip to the cañon, for it is the one cañon in this section, whose stream never goes dry.

Sincerely,

W Goss.